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In re Application of
Michael L. Dobson
Application No. 10/657,885
Filed: September 9, 2003
Attorney Docket No. DOBS-001

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DECISION ON PETITION
TO WITHDRAW
FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b), filed November 18, 2005.

The request is **APPROVED**.

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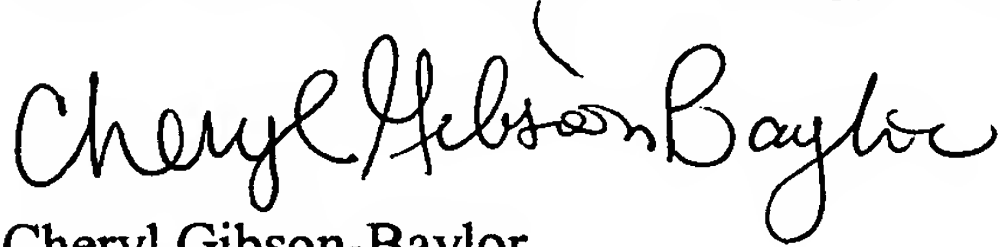
The request was signed by Steven L. Christian on behalf of all attorneys of record who are associated with customer No. 24945.

All attorneys/agents associated with the Customer Number 24945 have been withdrawn.


Applicant is reminded that there is no attorney of record at this time. All future correspondence will be directed to the sole named inventor Michael L. Dobson at the address indicated below.

There is an outstanding Office action mailed July 24, 2006 that requires a reply from the applicant.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Cheryl Gibson-Baylor at (571)272-3213. All other inquiries concerning either the examination or status of the application should be directed to the Technology Center.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cheryl Gibson-Baylor".

Cheryl Gibson-Baylor
Petitions Examiner
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Conferee: 

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Application Number	10/657,885
Filing Date	September 8, 2003
First Named Inventor	Michael L. Dobson
Art Unit	1734
Examiner Name	Cheryl N. Hawkins
Attorney Docket Number	DOBS-0001

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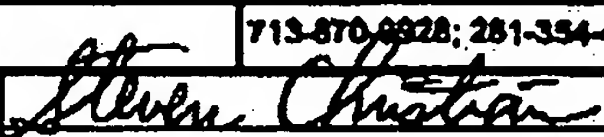
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Name	Steven L. Christian			Registration No.	38,108
Date	November 16, 2005			Telephone No.	713-939-9444

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